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Invention: RECEIVING APPARATUS AND RECEIVING METHOD

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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the official action mailed January 19, 2006, applicant submits the following amendments and remarks.